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TAGS: SNAR, BF, US

SUBJECT: CUSTOMS SERVICE REQUEST TO INSTALL RADIO RECEIVER
AT AUTEC

REFERENCE: A) NASSAU 375; B) STATE 49960

1. UNIT CUSTOMS WISHES TO INSTALL WOULD CONSIST OF VHF
ANTENNA, MOTOROLA RECEIVER (MOTRAC TLD 1513 AB),
ASSOCIATED POWER SUPPLY, CUSTOMS-DESIGNED SIGNALS PROCESSOR,
AND INTERFACE WITH NAVY TELEPHONE SWITCHBOARD. SIGNAL
FROM PASSING AIRCRAFT WOULD BE RECEIVED BY UNIT AND
PASSED VIA TELEPHONE CIRCUIT TO CUSTOMS OFFICE IN MIAMI.

NO CUSTOMS PERSONNEL WOULD BE STATIONED AT AUTEC, NOR
WOULD AUTEC PERSONNEL BE REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN OR MONITOR

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2. AUTECH RECEIVER WOULD BECOME PART OF EXISTING SYSTEM OPERATED BY CUSTOMS TO DETECT CONTRABAND OF ANY KIND, NOT ONLY NARCOTICS. NEITHER DEA NOR OTHER AGENCIES INVOLVED. CUSTOMS AGENTS IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES PLACE TRANSMITTER ABOARD SUSPECT AIRCRAFT, AND RECEIVERS ALONG U.S. COASTLINE ENABLE CUSTOMS OFFICERS IN U.S. TO TRACK PLANE'S ROUTE. SYSTEM HAS BEEN HIGHLY EFFECTIVE BUT IN SOME CASES PLANE HAS BEEN ABLE TO LAND AT REMOTE LOCATION AND UNLOAD

CONTRABAND BEFORE CUSTOMS OFFICERS COULD REACH SCENE. AUTECH RECEIVER WOULD PROVIDE EARLIER WARNING.

3. CUSTOMS HAS NO OBJECTION TO EMBASSY INFORMING GCOB OF INFORMATION CONTAINED PARAS 1 AND 2 ABOVE AND REF B AND IS WILLING TO KEEP GCOB INFORMED OF SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS THROUGH EXISTING CHANNELS.

4. DEPT. CONCURS WITH EMBASSY'S SUGGESTION OF LOW-KEY APPROACH TO POLICE COMMISSIONER THOMPSON. EMBASSY SHOULD INFORM THOMPSON AND REPORT REACTION. IF HE RAISES NO OBJECTION, WE WILL AUTHORIZE CUSTOMS TO PROCEED AS PROPOSED REF B. KISSINGER

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